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Robert Moore, Ph.D.

Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450)
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Food and Drug Administration
200 "C" St. SW
Washington, D.C. 20204

Dear Dr. Moore:

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994, Chattem, Inc., the distributor, located at: 1715 West 38th St., Chattanooga, TN 37409, wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has, within the past 30 days, commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears statements of nutritional support in its labeling.

The dietary supplement for which the statements are made is Repose<sup>TM</sup> Stress Relief Formula. The statements of nutritional support read as follows:

- Repose<sup>TM</sup> relaxes, replenishes & revitalizes.
- Repose<sup>™</sup> Stress Relief Formula promotes relaxation quickly while replenishing lost nutrients and helping your body to adapt to stress.
- Kava is clinically shown to help you maintain a relaxed state of body and mind without making you feel tired.
- B complex vitamins, magnesium and other valuable nutrients that are depleted rapidly when we are under stress are replenished by Repose<sup>™</sup> Stress Relief Formula.
- Siberian ginseng is a natural herbal adaptogen. It helps promote health and well being in the long term by supporting the body's ability to adapt to a wide range of physical and emotional demands.

These statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in a box in bold-faced type. The information contained in this notice is complete and accurate. Chattem, Inc. maintains on file substantiation that these statements are truthful and non-misleading. An original and two copies of this notification are being submitted.

Sincerely,

Michael Law, Ph.D.

Manager, Regulatory Affairs

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